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The Honorable Marcy Kaptur Chairwoman House Appropriations Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development 2362-B Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Mike Simpson Ranking Member House Appropriations Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development 2362-B Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Kaptur and Ranking Member Simpson:

As you proceed with the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Appropriations process, I respectfully request that you give consideration to the following funding priorities within the Energy and Water Development legislation.

• Provide a funding level of \$ 2,000,000 for the Confluence Water Quality Project as a community project funding request. The intended recipient is the Confluence Borough Municipal Authority located at PO Box 6, Confluence, PA 15424. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it CBMA is plagued with water quality issues. Due to the low quality of the drinking water supplied by the two existing wells, residents are forced to purchase bottled water for cooking and drinking. The low drinking water quality negatively affects the health, economy, and prosperity of the region. This project will fix these concerns.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

John Joyce, M.D.

Member of Congress